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In re U.S. Patent Application of

ITO et al.

Application Number: 10/070,313

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For: DATA PROCESSING DEVICE AND
DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

Attorney Docket No. TAMA.0003

Art Unit 2186

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COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	14	14	(Over 20)	x \$18	0
Independent Claims	4	4	1 (Over 3)	x \$86	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$290	0
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TOTAL					0

In addition, the below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

[x] Response to Office Action
(with claim amendments)

[] Preliminary Amendment

[] Substitute Specification

[] Other _____

[] Petition for Extension of Time (_ month)

[] Terminal Disclaimer

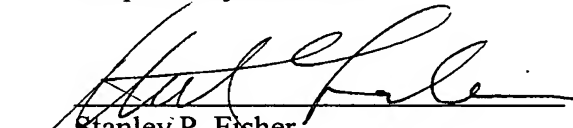
[x] Letter to Draftsperson w/1 sheet of drawings

[] Assignment

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Respectfully submitted,


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LETTER TO DRAFTSPERSON

Sir:

In response to the requirements set forth in the Office Action mailed on November 19, 2003, Applicants are submitting drawings for Figures 9A-9D, in which a legend "Prior Art" is being added, in connection with the above-captioned application.

Kindly direct any inquiries in connection with this matter to the undersigned at the below-listed address and telephone number.

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